

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 were in the original application. Claim 1 was amended by Article 19 amendment on October 3, 2005. An English translation of the amended claim 1 is transmitted herewith. Claims 4 and 5 are being currently amended. Claims 8-10 are being newly added. The newly added claims do not present any new matter. The newly added claims 8-9 are based on the amended claims 4 and 5. The newly added claim 10 is based on the language contained inter alia in paragraphs [0027] and [0032]. **There are a total of 10 claims currently pending in this Application.** This Preliminary Amendment is submitted in order to clarify the language of the specification and the claims. Entry of the above recited corrections is respectfully requested. No fee is believed to be due in connection with this preliminary amendment.

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